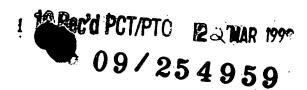
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please substitute the enclosed Specification for the Specification originally filed.

In the claims

Please add the following new claims 43-64.

for capturing an image from the image-bearing radiation, the imaging system comprising a solid radiation bearing detector disposed in the optical path, to convert the image-bearing